

HB 130 and 131
Update for Montana Health Coalition

SENATE PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & SAFETY

EXHIBIT NO. 6

BILL NO. SB 28

HB130

- Contracts have been awarded to benefit 17 Montana counties. (4 program contracts + 3 start up)
 - Yellowstone County - Serving Big Horn, Carbon, Fergus, Golden Valley, Judith Basin, Musselshell, Petroleum, Stillwater, Sweet Grass, Wheatland and Yellowstone counties: Value \$336,058
 - Missoula County: Value \$158,475
 - Ravalli County: Value \$310,594
 - Lewis & Clark County - Serving Meagher, Broadwater, Jefferson and Lewis & Clark counties: Value \$170,820
- Program deliverables vary among applicants and include elements such as the following:
 - Short term crisis stabilization (crisis beds)
 - Training for law enforcement, detention staff and community healthcare providers on appropriate crisis intervention techniques
 - Coordination with county attorneys, courts and public defenders for jail diversion
 - Infrastructure development including construction, refurbishing or enhancement of facilities to meet the needs of persons in mental health crisis.
- Data collection requirements – In addition to specific, project related outcomes, each county grantee must report on the following:
 - Number of 911 calls, within the grant period, that include mental disorder as an element of crisis call – reported by county
 - Unduplicated count of number of persons served by county (origin of crisis intervention efforts) for the grant period
 - Outcome of presentations (resolved, referred to hospital, commitment initiated, detention, etc) for the grant period
 - Total number of presentations with co-occurring mental disorder and substance abuse for the grant period

HB131

- Contracts awarded in Butte and Bozeman – contracts pay for one crisis bed in each site when not occupied.
- Total biennial appropriation for contracts \$337,500

HB132

- Provides authority to suspend civil involuntary commitment proceedings to enable client to voluntarily enter inpatient psychiatric treatment for a period of up to 14 days. May allow the client to avoid civil involuntary commitment proceedings if treatment is successful in stabilizing symptoms, allowing for return to community treatment
- No funding is attached to this bill

HB2 Budget:

\$2,480,320	Total biennial appropriation
(\$619,468)	budget reduction (FY11 funds) to meet department budget goal
\$1,860,852	net
(\$934,176)	FY2010 grants
(\$337,500)	HB131 contracts (biennial total)
\$589,176	Balance remaining FY2011